The Catholic school community is a community of faith held together by a common vision and outlook on life based on the Gospel of Jesus. A fully human engagement with the Gospel involves both knowledge and experience. Therefore, ongoing renewal has both a knowledge component and an experiential faith component.

**KNOWLEDGE COMPONENT**

The intention of this component is to support staff in their knowledge of the content of the Catholic faith and the pedagogical principles for transmitting it.

Inservices for the knowledge component of ongoing renewal must meet the following criteria:
- extend staff’s knowledge of the scriptural and theological basis of the Catholic faith as reflected in the four sections of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* (The Creed, Sacraments, Life in Christ, Christian Prayer).
- extend staff’s knowledge of Catholic educational pedagogy in the area of Religious Education as outlined in the *General Directory for Catechesis*.

**FAITH COMPONENT**

The intention of this component is to support staff in actively witnessing to a Gospel atmosphere within the school.

The **essential criterion** for ongoing renewal in faith formation is a connection with **Jesus Christ**.

Other criteria which support the formation and nurture of Christian discipleship are as follows:
- offering opportunities for spiritual formation, reflection, discernment
- flowing from and supporting evangelisation in the Catholic faith of the school community
- equipping staff to contribute actively to shaping and building a Christian school community.

Please complete the attached form, sign and email six weeks prior to the inservice to:

Mara Caramanico
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Religious Education and Faith Formation Team

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APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL-BASED INSERVICE FOR RENEWAL OF AN ACCREDITATION CERTIFICATE 2017

School: ___________________________________________ Suburb: ________________

Date of proposed inservice: ________________________________________________

Hours of renewal being applied for:

Knowledge component ____________ hours  Faith component ____________ hours

Title of proposed inservice: ________________________________________________

Proposed presenter/s: ____________________________________________________

Please provide a brief outline of how the content of your inservice one or more of the criteria. (please attach any additional relevant information in support of your application e.g. timeline, content, presenter’s course outline)

KNOWLEDGE COMPONENT

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FAITH COMPONENT

ESSENTIAL: a connection with Jesus Christ

- offering opportunities for spiritual formation, reflection, discernment

- flowing from and supporting evangelisation in the Catholic faith of the school community

- equipping staff to contribute actively to shaping and building a Catholic school community

PRINCIPAL’S SIGNATURE: ____________________________  DATE: ______________